

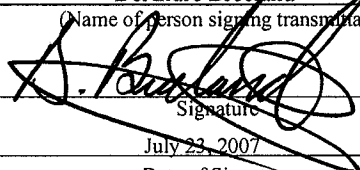
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Katsuki Minamino  
Serial No. : 09/723,512  
For : VOICE RECOGNITION BASED ON A GROWTH STATE OF  
A ROBOT  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on May 25, 2007, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on August 25, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.